

More Producers in Oil Area Completed



New Wells Slated For Territory by Major Concerns

Texas & Pacific Coal & Oil Company's No. 1 J. D. Maberry well, three and one-half miles southwest of Hamlin, has been completed as the second producer in the Celotex 5,100 Field. It flowed 173.88 barrels of 42-gravity oil in 24 hours through 14-64-inch choke from 36 perforations at 5,147-53 feet. Total depth was 5,225 feet, plugged back to 5,169. Casing was set at 5,213 feet. The new producer, two locations southwest of the discovery well, is located in Section 197, Block 1, B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey.

EVANGELIST for the eight-day revival meeting beginning Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church at Sylvester and continuing through April 5 is Rev. Charlie Cluck (above). Services will be conducted each evening at 8:00 o'clock, according to Rev. John Cundieff, pastor, who invites the general public to attend the services.

Tarlton Willingham And Onis Crawford On Trustee Ticket

Names of Tarlton Willingham and Onis Crawford will appear on the ballot for naming two members to the school board of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District for the next two years, according to Edward Dodd, secretary of the board.

Deadline for filing of names for the ticket was Wednesday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock.

The election will be held Saturday, April 4, at the high school office. Officials named to conduct the election are, H. L. Willingham, judge; and Mrs. Brad Rowland and Mrs. C. C. Prater, clerks.

Term of Willingham expires at the close of the fiscal year, and the other vacancy on the board was occasioned by the resignation of Johnie Agnew when he became county commissioner for this precinct of the county.

Hold-over members of the school board are Eddie Jay, Fred B. Moore Jr., Noel Weaver, LaFoy Patterson and Edward Dodd.

Organization of First Baptist Church In 1906 Recalled by Charter Member

Hamlin's First Baptist Church will be 47 years old Saturday, it was revealed this week when W. L. Cash, one of the 14 charter members of the first church established here, was doing a little recollecting.

Only three of the original members still survive, the pioneer employee of the old Orient Railway recalls. They are Mr. and Mrs. Cash of Hamlin and Mrs. Annie Green Stephens of Merkel, sister of Mrs. Cash.

"The Orient Railroad had just been built through this section of the country from Sweetwater," declared Mr. Cash, "and the town of Hamlin was being developed on a plot furnished the railroad for development purposes. There were only a handful of folks here for the organization of the new church."

Cash, who had come up to Hamlin with the railroad construction gang from Sweetwater, was one of the first settlers in this bustling little community, he explained, and several of the other families here at the time were families of the railroad construction gang. The railway line was being built toward the south terminus of the Orient line at Altus, Oklahoma, he points out.

Original meeting for the purpose of discussing the organization of the church was held upstairs in the old J. J. Robbins building, which was located on the present site of the city hall. The meeting was called by Rev. J. H. Funderburg.

Attending the meeting, and becoming charter members of the

Texas & Pacific has completed a Toler Swastika Field project in the same part of Fisher County as its No. 3 Velta Toler test. It flowed 186.99 barrels of 39.6-gravity oil, flowing through 20-64-inch choke from 48 perforations at 3,781-89 feet. Casing was set at 3,824 feet. Total depth was 3,840 feet, plugged back to 3,797. It is located in Section 202, Block 1, B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey.

Texas & Pacific has completed a third producer in the same field as their No. 4 S. C. Ferguson well. It was completed for a daily pumping gauge of 55.20 barrels of 42-gravity oil. Total depth was 3,806-11 feet. Casing was set at 3,880 feet. It is located in Section 205, Block 1, B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey.

Two new tests in the Hamlin area are slated for action immediately.

Cities Service Oil Company's No. 2-B Carey is to be a South Flat Top Shallow Field project six miles northeast of Hamlin. Drilling site is 990 feet from the south and east lines of the north-east quarter of Section 190, B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey. Proposed depth is 2,700 feet.

R. & R. Drilling Company's No. 2 W. F. Martin estate is to be a deep test one-half mile southwest of the prospective Flippin discovery in Fisher County, 11 miles northwest of Hamlin. Location is 467 feet from the south and west lines of the east half of Section 113, Block 1, H. & T. G. Railway Company Survey. Slated depth is 5,600 feet.

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Hamlin First Baptist Church were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Arnett, Mrs. O. B. Harris, Mrs. J. W. Tansey, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cash, Annie Green (now Mrs. Annie Stephens), Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McWilliams, John Hickey (who died Sunday at Abilene), and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hanes.

Rev. Funderburg was named as first pastor of the new congregation.

Following Rev. Funderburg, pastors of the First Baptist Church have included Rev. B. S. Sullivan, Rev. W. P. Moroney, Rev. J. W. Sapp (two different times), Rev. J. B. Henderson, Rev. J. T. Nicholson, Rev. L. B. Owens, Rev. J. H. Edmonds (two times), Rev. A. W. Retaves; Rev. J. H. Littleton, who is now district missionary living at Lueders, Rev. H. E. East, who is now pastor at Arlington; Rev. B. J. Martin, who is pastor at Childress; Rev. John Osteen, who holds a pastorate at Bay City; Rev. A. R. Posey, who is at Temple, Oklahoma; and Rev. Miles B. Hayes, present pastor.

Captain W. H. Pickron Visits from Germany

Captain W. H. Pickron Jr., who has been stationed for several months in West Germany with the U. S. Army Air Force, was been visiting with his wife and two daughters and his parents in Hamlin.

Young Pickron will return to his post of duty about April 10, he declares.



CONVICTED—Mario Sapet (above), a San Antonio tavern owner and former deputy sheriff under South Texas political boss George Parr was given a 99-year sentence Sunday. A slaying in Alice of Jake Floyd Jr. was done, the prosecution says, with a weapon Sapet furnished an unknown killer.

Cotton Support Set At 30.80c for 1953

Cotton farmers of the Hamlin area were interested to learn last week that the Department of Agriculture will support the price of 1953 cotton at 30.80 cents per pound, gross weight, for the base grade of middling seven-eighths inch cotton.

This new price compares with the 1952 crop average of 30.91 cents, government support price.

J. B. Terrell Jr. Named President By Rotary Club

J. B. Terrell Jr., Hamlin oil lease and real estate dealer, was elevated to the presidency of Hamlin Rotary Club as the result of the recent election staged by members of the group, according to announcement made by President Wesley Nail Wednesday.

Gean Witt, who has been serving recently as secretary of the club following the resignation of G. C. Green on account of failing health, was named to a full term in the office.

New directors named in the balloting were Weldon Johnson and Louie Mack Hardy. These two replace Gene Prewitt and J. E. Patterson, whose terms expired.

Hold-over directors are M. T. York and Bowen Pope.

The new officers named are for the club's fiscal year beginning July 1. They will be installed the latter part of June.



HORNED RABBIT—When a Lakeview farmer shot a cotton-tail recently he noted it had four horn-like appendages growing from its forehead. He showed it to a biologist who turned it over to Stanley Zimmerman (above), Amarillo taxidermist, who mounted it. Zimmerman believes a severe laceration on the rabbit's head caused the horn-like growths to form.

Pipe for Stamford Water Line Arriving

Special Holy Week Services Slated at Methodist Church

Special services will be held at the First Methodist Church next week in observance of Holy Week, announces Rev. S. Duane Bruce, pastor. Services will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will preach each evening and bring messages related to the days just previous to Jesus' crucifixion. Holy communion will be observed Thursday evening.

Services will be held at the church Friday noon, from 12:30 to 1:15 p. m. Three-minute meditations on the seven last words of Jesus from the cross will be given by Rev. William C. Emberton, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene; and the pastor, Rev. Bruce. Special music will be rendered as a part of this service.

Easter Sunday services at the First Methodist Church will be at 11:00 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The choir will give an Easter cantata at the evening worship service. An invitation is extended to people of the Hamlin territory to attend these services.

Sermon topics for the services are released as follows: Sunday, March 29, "He Needs You;" Wednesday evening, April 1, "The Things That Count;" Thursday evening, April 2, "Is It I?;" Friday evening, April 3, "The Will of God;" Easter Sunday morning, "He Lives;" and Easter Sunday evening, Cantata by choir.

Revival Dates Set by First Baptist Church

Definite dates for the annual spring revival meeting at the First Baptist Church have been set for the eight-day period from April 12 to 19, inclusive, it is announced this week by Rev. Miles B. Hayes, pastor.

Dr. Otis Strickland, president of Decatur Baptist College, will do the preaching for the services that will be conducted at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Kenneth Hill, regular musical director of the church, will be in charge of the music.

Hamlin Boy Scout Troop 43 Wins Second Place in District Camporee Contests

More than a score of Hamlin Boy Scouts were among the 109 Boy Scouts of the northern district of the Chisholm Trail Council who camped together at the Swenson Jog of the Brazos River near Stamford last Friday and Saturday.

During the two-day camporee the Hamlin boy competed for various honors in contests between the various troops of the district. First place was won by Troop 36 from Haskell by the Cougar Patrol, in charge of John John Barry as leader. Troop 43 from Hamlin took second place by the Apache Patrol, under leadership of Harold Eades. Third place went to the Rattlesnake Patrol of Troop 36 from Haskell.

All awards won at the camporee will be presented at the next district court of honor, it was announced by district Scout officials.

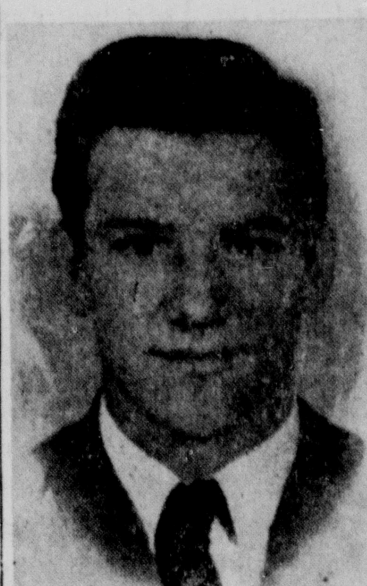
Leaders attending the camporee were: D. S. Gotthard, district camping and activities chairman, of O'Brien; Gene Overton, Paint Creek Scoutmaster; George Owens, leader from Anson; Harold Eades, Hamlin Scoutmaster; John Davis, Stamford Scoutmaster; Herb Carter, Stamford Scoutmaster; Jack McClendon, Stamford assistant Scoutmaster; A. A. Cox, O'Brien Scoutmaster; John Grinstead from O'Brien; John Barry, Haskell leader in charge; Bill Griffith, Paint Creek committee man; Rae Eastland of Stamford, district chairman; I. A. Russell, Stamford Scout; Ray Davis, district Scout executive.

Winners of the following events were announced by camporee officials:

Camp Arrangement, Sanitation and Cooking—Troop 43 of Hamlin by Apache Patrol, first; Troop 42 of Stamford by Flying Eagle Patrol, second; Troop 42 of Stamford by Panther Patrol, third.

First Aid—Troop 42 of Stamford by Flying Eagle Patrol, first; Troop 36 of Haskell by Cougar Patrol, first; Troop 48 of Paint Creek by Longhorn Patrol, second.

Skill in Observation—Troop 36 of Haskell by Cougar Patrol, first; Troop 41 of Stamford by Buffalo Patrol, first; Troop 43 of Hamlin by Apache Patrol, second.



SECRETARY of the Hamlin Rotary Club is Gean Witt (above), Hamlin jeweler. He was named in balloting during the past several days. J. B. Terrell Jr., whose picture was not available, was elected new president to succeed Wesley Nail. New officers will assume office on July 1.

Absentee Voting In City Election To Begin This Week

Absentee voting in the forthcoming city election to name two aldermen to the City Council will begin this week at the city office in the city hall. Ballots were being prepared this week.

Regular city election date for voting will be Tuesday, April 7, with all voting to be done at the city hall. Polls will be open from 8:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m., it is announced by B. M. Brundage, mayor.

Appearing on the ticket are the names of Arthur Hudson, who is a candidate for reelection, Louis J. Cunningham and A. Spencer. Terms of Hudson and O. D. Roland are expiring.

Named to officiate at the city election are J. E. Patterson, judge; Mrs. Brad Rowland, Mrs. C. C. Prater and Mrs. Vera Jayroe, clerks.

Hold-over aldermen are J. B. Terrell Jr., Mrs. L. L. Cowan and Miss Pearl Hudson.

Laying of 21-Mile Line Expected to Be Started Soon

Pipe for the 21-mile water line from the north Stamford city limits to the Hamlin pump station near the Santa Fe Railway depot in the south part of town was scheduled to start arriving along the line this week, according to announcement by Mayor B. M. Brundage Wednesday.

A Dallas trucking concern has the contract to deliver the 12-inch concrete reinforced steel tubing along the route of the line. The pipe is being manufactured in Dallas by the Gifford-Hill Company, which is supplying the pipe under contract with Ennix Construction Company of Amarillo, general contractors for the line with the City of Hamlin.

Actual laying of the line should start within two or three weeks, Brundage reported, who said that about 4,000 feet of the pipe could be laid per day after the work gets underway. On this basis, it will require about a month to complete the job.

Brundage told The Herald Wednesday that about 12 miles of the right-of-way for the 21-mile line had been secured at mid-week, and that the property owners along the stretch had been very cooperative so far. He said that city officials expected to encounter no difficulty in finishing the securing of the right-of-way within the next several days.

Work on the laying of the 16-miles water line from Lake Stamford in the Paint Creek community, northwest of that city, into

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Douglas Dean of Fort Worth are entertaining a new son in their home, born March 20 at Harris Memorial Hospital in Fort Worth. He has been named Jack Douglas Jr. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dean of Hamlin.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Lee R. Howard of Pensacola, Florida, are announcing the arrival of a girl, born March 14. She tipped the scales at seven pounds, and has been named Theresa Louise. Mrs. Howard is the former Wilma Lou Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore of Hamlin.

The stork has had a busy time in recent days up at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital. Since last report in The Herald week before last, seven babies have been born, six of whom were boys. The new arrivals were:

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carlton, who was born March 12 at 6:45 a. m. He weighed only five pounds four ounces, and has been named John Joey.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McDowell, who arrived March 15 at 3:10 a. m. Tipping the scales at eight pounds three ounces, the young man will answer to Ricky Charles.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hallmark Jr., who arrived March 15 at 2:45 p. m. Balancing the beam at seven pounds three ounces on arrival, he has been named David Andrew.

A girl for Mrs. E. M. Wallace, who came March 19 at 1:25 p. m. She weighed seven pounds four ounces, and has been named Melissa Ann.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Slater discovered America March 20 at 3:30 a. m. The youngster will be called Stephen Mark. He weighed seven pounds nine ounces.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rogers arrived March 21 at 8:15 a. m. Weighing seven pounds two ounces, he has been named Rodney Keith.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pouncey was born March 23. He was labeled Ronnie Dale.

W. T. STAPLER of Hamlin, who last fall lettered as a sparkplug of the strong line at McMurry College in Abilene, was declared to be one of the finest little football players the Abilene school has had by the head coach, Wilford Moore, who spoke Tuesday at the Hamlin Lions Club luncheon meeting.

But Coach Moore modified that word "little" some when he went on to explain that Stapler handles himself beautifully to be carrying around 218 pounds of avoirdupois.

"Stapler primarily is a football player down at McMurry," stated Moore, "but the other day he was out on the cinder track with the runners, vaulters and jumpers. We asked him if he would like to see what he could do in the event we call the 65-quarter race." "Sure would," came back Stapler as he got set for the run. Yes, you guessed it, Moore explained—the big tackle outran the sprinter and turned in a 58-quarter time for the event."

FOLLOWING the recent passing of Albert Ladymon of Dallas, printing equipment dealer serving this territory, his wife revealed a poem that adorned the wall over Ladymon's desk, which is appropriate for this column, we believe:

I will start anew this morning
With a higher, fairer creed;
I will cease to stand complaining
Of my ruthless neighbor's creed;
I will cease to sit repining
While duty's call is clear;
I will waste no moment whining,
And my heart shall know no fear.

I will look sometimes about me
For the things that merit praise;
I will search for hidden beauties
That elude the grumbler's gaze;
I will try to find contentment
In the paths that I must tread;
I will cease to have resentment
When another moves ahead.

I will not be swayed by envy
When my rival's strength is shown;
I will not deny his merit,
But I'll strive to prove my own;
I will try to see the beauty
Spread before me, rain or shine;
I will cease to preach my duty,
And be more concerned with mine!

FROM AN EXCHANGE we clipped the following piece of enlightening verse. Maybe there ought to be a law . . .

There was a young lady from Dallas
Got sent to the state penal palace
For slicing the liver
Of her wedding ring giver,
And she drew 20 years without malice!

LIFE CAN BE a happy affair most of the time—if we contribute our share to help make it so. The extent to which we can contribute to this philosophy is contained in the words of this little rhyme we ran into the other day:

If you don't like life, it's the way you're livin';
A little less takin', a bit more givin';
A little less hatin', a little more lovin';
A little more helpin', not so much shovin';
A little more smilin', and not so much strife—
And soon you will be in love with life!

ACTUALLY this married life isn't quite as bad as some folks make it seem—but it makes good conversation for the bachelors who are that way either because they can't "cut the mustard" in getting a frau or who seemingly are that way because of free choice.

A fellow columnist (who incidentally only recently became a bridegroom) put it this way in his column:

A bachelor is the only guy,
While traveling through this life,
Who hasn't faced the frightening task
Of lying to his wife!

A STAMFORD BOY who has just been jilted by a Hamlin girl opines that a fellow doesn't have to be a fisherman to miss a good catch because of a weak line.

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WHAT KIND IS THE IDEAL HUSBAND?

We wouldn't know how to estimate the number of ideal husbands in the Hamlin territory. But in reading a magazine the other evening we ran across this thought-provoking article, which declared that the ideal husband is one who . . .

Is so handsome that he makes every heart flutter, but who never looks at another woman;

Makes mints of money, but never goes away on business trips, stays late at the office, brings business friends home to dinner, brings work home with him at night, or drags his wife to company parties;

Is capable with his hands and, if necessary, could make his living as a plumber, carpenter, or electrician;

Dances divinely and plays a beautiful game of contract, but is not above helping with the dishes or getting up at dawn to give the baby its bottle;

Composes all bread-and-butter letters and letters of condolence;

Loves sympathy and lectures on the arts and can be drafted to carve turkeys at church suppers;

Is always open to constructive suggestions on how to drive a car and does not sulk when corrected;

Can find a parking space within a few yards of a theatre or other places of amusement, and pushes right ahead and gets the only remaining seats at a crowded movie;

Does not lose his hair or add an inch to his girth as time goes on;

Can be let out alone with pruning knife, sickle, or other lethal weapons in a flower garden and not leave ruin in his wake;

Is totally free of entangling relatives and has no recollection of his life prior to his marriage;

Is a man's man, but does not leave rings on tables with wet glasses or burn places on the mantel with cigarettes;

Makes out checks for monthly bills, without uttering a single groan, and does not have to be reminded to hand over the market money;

Corrects the children and never shatters discipline by taking sides with them;

Is a paragon of virtue, but, when things go wrong at home, humbly confesses that it is all his fault.

Wise Words

"Property is the fruit of labor; property is desirable; it is a positive good in the world. That some should be rich shows that others may become rich, and hence is just encouragement to industry and enterprise. Let not him who is homeless pull down the house of another, but let him work diligently and build one for himself, thus by example assuring that his own shall be safe from violence when built."

The eternal and abiding truth of these words which were written by Abraham Lincoln almost 100 years ago has never been more meaningful than in this present day.

Good Controls Are Dead

Michael DiSalle, who took over again as price control administrator during the closing weeks of the Truman administration, said that under economic and international conditions existing now or likely to exist in the near future there is no possibility of safely eliminating direct controls. Even if matters improve to the extent where direct controls can be eliminated, he went on, standby controls, which could be instantly put into effect without congressional action, would still be necessary.

Of this an association representing thousands of retail stores observed, "We can't buy any of that. Direct controls of themselves serve no purpose whatsoever. They are meaningless today; and in the event of any new emergency, inflation should be curbed by using tested fiscal measures. Therefore direct controls should be included in the program only if absolutely necessary. Putting the power to impose direct controls on a standby basis might prove too tempting long before the effective weapons were even tried."

This stand is both realistic and reasonable. There is no emergency existing now which justifies controls of any kind, save for the allocation of a very short list of critical materials of which few are widely used in the production of consumer goods. It has been proven time and again that the way to assure maximum production of all kinds of articles and services, at fair prices, is to support, not undermine, the competitive free enterprise system in which the man who does the best job gets the public's business. Today the only good controls are dead controls.

Just because he's a human dynamo doesn't mean that everything he has on is charged.

A girl who still has her maiden name still has a maiden aim.

Pack Mule and Iron Horse

It costs money to transport the goods we use, and all of us must pay our share of it. So it comes under the heading of good news to report that this is one cost that has gone down, and to a spectacular extent, over the years.

In the early days of this country, goods were moved by pack animals over rough trails. The average cost of carrying a ton of this freight for one mile was about \$1. Then came the prairie schooner, and a big step forward resulted. The cost of moving a ton-mile of freight dropped to something like 20 cents.

The first railroads followed. They were crude and slow and inefficient by today's standards, but they marked a great advance over anything known before. Down went the cost of moving a ton-mile of freight once more—to seven cents.

A generation later better trains were running on better tracks—and the average charge for moving the freight had dropped again, to approximately three cents.

Today the general price level is far higher than in past time. But our superb railroad system will carry, on the average, a ton of freight one mile at a charge of less than one and one-half cents—as compared with \$1 when men and draft animals did the job! And it is the railroads, and the railroads alone, which are capable of moving—under all conditions and in all kinds of weather—the great bulk of the things we buy and use in our daily life. You'd have a hard time exaggerating the scope or importance of the iron horse's services to man.

Editorial of the Week

STOCKMAN WILL TAKE CHANCE

The loss in the inventory value of livestock, on the farms and ranches in this country, due to price breaks, amounts to almost five billion dollars. All stockmen and especially feeders have taken severe losses in recent months. However, few are seeking a subsidy program from the government.

It is the belief of stockmen that most of their trouble has been caused by government intervention and they want no more of it. The administration's insistence on maintaining price controls on livestock in the face of a collapsing market is another of the mistakes which can be laid at the door of the bureaucrats in Washington.

Now that price controls are off and compulsory grading has stopped, the stockman prefers to take his chances without any more federal intervention in the form of subsidies. —The Baird Star.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper, The Herald

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

The following news briefs are reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 24, 1933:

President Franklin D. Roosevelt, in his inaugural message last week, deplored the unbalanced budget that is threatening the security of the nation.

Members of the Young Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon at the church. Present were Mrs. W. C. Russell, counselor, and the following members: Ruby Dean, Marie and Louella Williams, Mabel Naron, Ruby Thompson, Nora Kohen, Hattie Jo Bryson and Ruby White.

Jones County led the entire state of Texas in cotton production for 1932, according to final official figures issued by the Department of the Census. Total of 107,265 bales were ginned from the 1932 crop. Lubbock County was second with 94,921 bales.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 26, 1943, are the following items of interest:

Citizens of Jones County have raised a total of \$10,013 for the 1943 drive for the Red Cross, according to Robert Cross of Anson, county chairman. Hamlin's goal of \$1,915 was over-subscribed with \$2,280.81 having been reported so far.

One of the most beautiful rains of recent years began falling in the area about noon Wednesday, and up until Thursday at noon, when The Herald went to press, more than two inches of rain had been recorded.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Greenway and Mrs. O. K. Wilson were in Dallas and Fort Worth on business this week. J. D. has been on a defense job in New Mexico and is changing positions.

"Strike Up the Band" is the title of the junior class play to be presented Friday night at the Hamlin High School. Taking part in the play, under the direction of Mrs. Heflin Miller, will be Billie K. Lancaster, Billie Jean Holland, Maedean Maberry, Edith Armstrong, Hortense Phenix, Betty Lou York, Buck Joiner, Bobbie Wilson, Carl Myers, Charles Alexander, John Lee Barnett and Gene Miles.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

The following briefs items of interest are taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 26, 1948:

Special memorial services are scheduled at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening, commemorating the establishment of the church 42 years ago, according to Rev. John Osteen, pastor. Choir of the First Methodist Church will present an Easter cantata at the church Sunday evening, March 28.

Gerry Shira left Sunday night for San Francisco, California, where she will board a ship to return to Okinawa to resume her civil service work. She returned to the States a few days before Christmas from Okinawa, where she had been for 17 months.

The Pied Pipers of Hamlin High School lost their first baseball tilt of the season to Sweetwater Friday night by a 2 to 0 count.

Starr Inzer will assume his new duties as president of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce at the annual banquet April 6, at which Jeff H. Williams, noted humorist of Chickasha, Oklahoma, will be the featured speaker.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Land owners of Jones County will vote on a proposal presented last Monday night by the Krick Weather Improvement Service of Denver, Colorado, for endeavoring to make it rain in this area. Estimated cost of the effort would be \$6,000 for Jones County participants.

Final work is being completed on the new \$142,000 Primary School building in Northwest Hamlin, and it will be open for inspection next Tuesday for the observance of Public School Week along with the other buildings in and school system, announces I. R. Huchingson, superintendent.

Sandstorms have held sway in the Hamlin area for several days. Names of Noel (Duck) Weaver and Dr. M. L. Smith were filed for places on the ticket for election of two members of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District.

Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, spoke last Friday night at the Hamlin CC banquet.

Stocker and Feeder Trade Picks up at Fort Worth Market Best in Over Month

In the spring a young man's fancy turns to the fair sex, or so the poet says. In the spring the stockman's fancy turns to replacements for his herds and flocks, and the greener hue of the pastures and meadows pushes memories or winter, drouth and other troubles far back into the limbo of things to forget, reminds Ted Gouldy, special market reporter in his weekly release to The Herald this week.

At Fort Worth Monday this turn of mind became quite evident as stocker and feeder trade perked up and got into high gear for the first time in over a month.

Sharing the spotlight with the better stocker trade was the Easter lamb market. Some 10,000 sheep and lambs greeted the buyers, and better than 5,000 of them were genuine spring lambs. The trade was very slow getting underway as buyers bid strong prices, but salesmen pressed for sharply higher prices.

In the end the old crop lambs sold strong to 50 cents higher, and spring lambs drew strong to \$1 higher prices. Woolled lambs topped at \$23.50, and spring lambs topped at \$24, while shorn fat lambs topped at \$21. Some shorn feeders drew \$17 to \$19.50, to share the advance. Old ewes drew \$8 to \$10. Mixed yearlings and twos sold for \$14 to \$18.

Stocker cows were reported from \$12 to \$18, and some around 600-pound kind drew \$22. Stocker calves of the good sort sold around \$18 to \$23, and stocker yearlings sold from \$22.50 down. Stocker heifers sold at \$22.50.

Fat cows drew \$14 to \$16, and canners and cutters sold for \$10 to \$14. Bulls cashed at \$12 to \$18. Good and choice fat calves drew \$19 to \$23, and common,

plain and medium butcher kinds drew \$13 to \$19. Culls sold from \$10 to \$13.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings sold for \$18.50 to \$23, the top of \$23 paid for some commercially fed steers as well as a load of experimental cattle from the Spur Experiment Station. Common and plain to medium butchers sold from \$13 to \$18. Hogs topped at \$20.75 to \$21.25, and sows drew \$16 to \$18.50. Pigs ranged from \$14 to \$17.

Haskell Court Decides In Favor of Jayton in Courthouse Removal

Hamlin area residents have been watching with interest developments in the court proceedings at Haskell over the election held in March, 1952, that was called to vote on the moving of the county seat of Kent County from Claiborne to Jayton.

A 39th District Court jury last Wednesday invalidated four Claiborne votes and two Jayton votes. The jury's findings, plus six other votes ruled illegal by attorney's agreement—four for Jayton and two for Claiborne—left Jayton with an exact two-thirds majority required to approve moving the county seat.

An appeal from the Haskell County court verdict can be made by Claiborne parties after a judgment in the case is filed leaving final determination of the election outcome to the higher courts.

"S. O. S." has no literal meaning, but was chosen as a distress signal because of its ease in transmitting.

Sweetwater Pastor to Speak to Methodist Men's Group Monday

Rev. Timothy Guthrie, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Sweetwater, will be the guest speaker when members of the Methodist Men's Club of the First Methodist Church meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock for dinner and their monthly program, according to J. C. Bryant, president of the local group.

Rev. Guthrie is a graduate of McMurry College and Southern Methodist University. Before going to Sweetwater he had served as pastor of St. John's Methodist Church in Dallas. It was while pastor of this church that Rev. Guthrie served as an exchange pastor with a Methodist minister in England for three months.

Men of the church and friends will want to hear Rev. Guthrie Monday evening at 7:30, Rev. S. Duane Bruce, pastor, declares.

Katy Carloadings for Week Ahead of 1952

Local carloadings for Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railway Lines for the week ending March 13, 1953, were 5,208 compared with 4,825 for the corresponding week last year. Received from connections were 4,195 cars compared with 4,484 for the same week in 1952.

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Congressman Omar Burleson Tells of Having Lunch with President of U. S.

Congressman Omar Burleson of Anson recently had lunch with President Eisenhower at Washington. He gives a report of that occasion in this week's column from the capital, "As It Looks from Here".

Naturally it is quite an occasion to have lunch with the president of the United States. This was my rare privilege a few days ago and one which I enjoyed immensely.

President Eisenhower believes that the basis of cooperative efforts should be on personal understandings, and that personal contacts are the only way to accomplish it.

We all know that in any human relationship, when really we know a person, we can usually better understand and appreciate his attitude and his viewpoint.

This is not to say that business was discussed at the president's luncheon. Actually, matters of legislation were not referred to. The president did discuss his experiences during World War II in connection with meetings with Stalin. He also discussed having met Malenkov and his impressions of him as a man. Although he did not deal in very much speculation, he did discuss various possibilities of world events by reason of Stalin's death and the leadership of the Soviet falling to Malenkov.

Before, during and after the luncheon, our conversation was that which you might have with any friend. Shortly before the luncheon, which was at 1:00 o'clock, Eisenhower came in and said to me, "I am glad to see a fellow Texan." During the past several years, I have met General Eisenhower on more than one occasion. Mostly, it was at a time when he was testifying before the committee on which I serve.

At the table, the president discussed a huge copper and brass chandelier over the table in the state dining room. He told me that Teddy Roosevelt had the crystal chandeliers removed from the white house to the capitol because when the windows were open, the wind made the prisms rattle and tinkle, which disturbed him. These chandeliers now hang in several places in the capitol of the United States.

Another interesting bit of information was the fact that prior to the administration of Teddy Roosevelt, what we commonly know as "the white house" was originally referred to as "the president's house." However, when the commission on renovation of the executive mansion recently repaired the white house at a cost of more than \$4,000,000, they made official the original identification. Officially, it is "the president's house," and on the back of each piece of silverware is engraved, "the president's house."

During the course of our meal, I remarked to the president that



WANTED EXPANDED APPROPRIATION BILL—Representative Mercury Maverick Jr. of San Antonio is shown here holding a copy of the appropriation bill for general state services. It called for an outlay of \$161,000,000 for two years, but Maverick sought to add numerous amendments, indicated by paper tabs stuck between the pages. House conservatives beat down most of the changes and sent the bill to the Senate as a \$162,000,000 appropriation bill.

I was sure he had attended white house official functions where they always serve a punch. He said that of course he had. Then I referred to the character of that punch which to me is about the worst stuff I ever tasted. He agreed completely and said he would try to do something about it.

After lunch, we went to the president's living quarters, where he has on display medals awarded to him by about every country of any prominence in the world. I asked him if he had any Russian medals, and he said that he did have, but when he went in politics he salted them away in some other place.

The subject of the president's golf game arose, and I let him know that several years ago I was a golf enthusiast, but had not played but a few times since before the war. He said that no one should get so busy that he must neglect some sort of exercise and recreation, and I am sure he is correct.

As everyone knows, Mr. Eisenhower practices his golf in the "back yard" of the presidential mansion. That back yard is much larger than most of us have. In fact, it can be measured in acres rather than feet. Mr. Eisenhower showed me where he usually stood to make his practice shots. He can hit the balls in two or three different directions and never get "out of bounds" of the grounds.

Another interesting experience of the last few days was an hour and a half conference with Mrs. Clare Booth Luce, newly appointed ambassador to Italy. I discussed with her religious freedoms in Italy. Most everyone is aware that American religious groups

Variety Program Will Spark Nienda Talent Show of Nienda Club

Music, stunts, readings and skits will be provided in the home talent show to be staged at the Hamlin High School auditorium at 8:00 o'clock p. m. Friday, April 3, under sponsorship of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club of Nienda, according to word from officials of the club.

Dixie Boy Jordan of Radio Station KWFT, Wichita Falls, will conduct the show. In addition to emceeing the entire program, Dixie Boy will sing, recite poems and make wisecracks to keep the performances moving along.

A complete array of talent from the Hamlin section has been lined up for the show, officials of the Nienda club announce.

A nominal admission fee will be charged at the door for the show. The public is invited to make plans now to attend.

Carrying on evangelical work in Italy have experienced considerable difficulties during the past three or four years.

Mrs. Luce surprised me in that she was thoroughly familiar with those happenings and assured me that she would do everything possible to see that Americans engaged in these activities were treated fairly. She agreed that it would be much better to prevent a recurrence of incidents of the kind which have transpired in the past than to try to smooth them over after they had occurred. She suggested that representatives of these religious activities in Italy call on her personally soon after she arrives, in order that she may have their full point of view.

\$721 Donated by Hamlin Citizens for Tornado Relief

Total of \$721 had been raised by Hamlin up to Wednesday noon for the Knox County tornado fund, reported George Malouf, Hamlin merchant, who has been working at the task of soliciting and handling local funds.

A cashier's check for \$550 was taken to O'Brien first of the week by Malouf and turned over to administering officials. Two donations totaling \$150 previous had been reported in the Abilene fund, Malouf said, and \$21 more had been turned in this week for the fund.

Additional funds were being raised first of the week at the Celotex plant southwest of Hamlin, Malouf reported, but no tabulations on the amount had been made at press time for The Herald.

Mrs. W. E. Watkins and brother, W. E. Ervin, attended the funeral Saturday at Lubbock of their aunt, Mrs. Mollie Thomas. Mrs. Thomas died Friday morning. Services were held in a Lubbock funeral home, and interment was at Lubbock.

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The Herald's Page for Women



Double-Ring Double Ceremony Unites Altum and Turner Girls to Hargroves

A former Hamlin girl and a resident of the town Sunday became brides of twin brothers in a double wedding ceremony performed at the Hamlin First Baptist Church.

Dorothy Faye Altum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Altum, who moved to Abilene last November after living in Hamlin for many years, became the bride of Loyce Dean Hargrove.

Syble Louise Turner, daughter of S. K. Turner of Hamlin, became the bride of Troyce Gean Hargrove.

The Hargrove boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hargrove, long-time residents of the Hamlin community.

Reading the ceremony was Rev. Alfred C. Altum, brother of Miss Altum. Rev. Altum is pastor of the East Side Baptist Church in Haskell. The ceremony was an impressive double ring ritual.

Attending Miss Altum and her bridegroom were Tiny Armstrong of Jal, New Mexico, and Mrs. Ted Trieder, sister of the bride, of Abilene.

Attendants for Miss Turner and her bridegroom were Tommy Rich-ey and Mrs. Bill Harrison, Miss Turner's sister, both of Hamlin. Ushers were Don Elmore and Kenneth Riddle of Hamlin, Hyrus Hicks of Stamford and Ted Trieder of Abilene.

Given in marriage by her father, Miss Altum wore an original light grey suit of imported woolen fabric. She had navy accessories and carried a gardenia encircled with white roses. A cascade of white satin streamers was decorated with white roses.

Given in marriage by her father, Miss Turner wore an original navy

suit with navy and white accessories. She carried a bouquet similar to Miss Altum's.

Mrs. L. B. Baker, organist, played wedding music and accompanied Pat Belew, soloist, who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Bridal attendants wore navy suits with white accessories and white corsages.

Loyce Hargrove is employed by Marlin Oil Company in Hamlin, and his bride has been employed in Abilene by W. T. Wilson Transfer & Storage Company.

Troyce is employed at Hamlin by Hondo Oil Company, and his bride has been working at the Celotex Corporation plant.

A reception was held at the church following the ceremony. The brides' table was decorated in yellow and green, and the wedding cake had twin sets of tiers, each topped with a miniature bridal couple.

Registering wedding guests were Mrs. Ray Plumlee, cousin of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Don Elmore. At the reception table were Jo Hargrove, sister of the bridegrooms, Edith Ann Scott, Mrs. Tom Brady, Mrs. M. L. Haught and Ella Mae Turner, cousin of Syble Turner.

Guests from Green Forest, Arkansas, Jal, New Mexico, Cross Plains, Snyder, Levelland, Hamlin, Abilene, Fort Worth and Lamesa attended the rites and reception. Following the reception the newlyweds left for a honeymoon to Old Mexico. On their return they will be at home in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jenkins and girls visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris at Olney.

Beatrice Huling Made President of VFW Auxiliary for Year

Members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars voted to send \$20 to the Health and Happiness Fund of the national organization when they met Thursday evening in regular meeting at the VFW club house.

The donation to the fund and the election of new officers for the group constituted the requirements for making the honor roll by the auxiliary for the month of March. It was announced by Zelma Perryman, president, who presided at the business session.

The auxiliary also voted to donate \$5 to the O'Brien and Knox City tornado relief fund. Also a donation of \$2 was voted as a love gift to Frances Summers, department president.

Officers elected for the fiscal year beginning April 1 were as follows: Beatrice Huling, president; Lillie Yates, vice president; Myrtle Bury, junior vice president; Valera Hudson, chaplain; Inell Huff, treasurer; Zelma Perryman, conductress; Hazel Crawford, guard; Ava Hudson, first year trustee; Beatrice Frazier, second year trustee; Margaret Doby, third year trustee.

Installation services for the new officers will be conducted at the next meeting of the auxiliary on Thursday, April 2, it was announced. Inell Huff will be in charge of the installation rites.

Texas Day Program Given by Literary Club

Annual Texas Day program of the Woman's Literary Club was presented Friday afternoon when the group met at 3:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. H. O. Cassie. Mrs. Clyde Lewis, who was program director, gave points about the "State Flower, Tree and Songs," and presented Mrs. A. G. Irwin, who discussed "Schools in Texas." Mrs. Dick Maberry discussed "Political Trends of Texas."

Members attending were: Mmes. Henry Albrighton, Art Carmichael, H. O. Cassie, A. G. Irwin, W. T. Johnson, Clyde Lewis, C. D. Leonard, Dick Maberry, R. D. Moore, Bowen Pope, O. D. Roland, Bill Shira, W. C. Weir, Tarlton Willing and M. T. York.

We don't very much mind being fooled by a dumb person, but it gets out goat to be fooled by a smart one.

Eight Women from Hamlin Attend Ranch Party for Garden Club Group

Eight women from Hamlin were among 150 who last Thursday attended a ranch party for Garden Club members of District 8 at the Watt Reynolds Matthews and Lucille Matthews Brittingham homes near Albany. A feature of the gathering was a tour of sections along the Clear Fork of the Brazos River near the homes.

The homes are restorations of the B. Watt Reynolds and the Nathan L. Bartholomew houses that were originally erected in 1875 and 1876, seven miles north-west of Fort Griffin. The two-story stone dwellings were built by the Matthews-Reynolds families and are now owned by descendants—a grandson, Watt Reynolds Matthews of Lambhead Ranch, and Mrs. Lucille Matthews Brittingham of Fort Worth and Throckmorton County.

The owners were hosts to the Albany Garden Club and its guests from Breckenridge, Anson, Cisco, Stamford, Sweetwater, Abilene, Brownwood, Temple, Fort Worth, Hamlin, Snyder, Garland, Wichita Falls, Throckmorton, Olney and Baird. One visitor was from out-of-state, from Boston, Massachusetts.

State officers who attended included: Mrs. G. T. Buchanan of Wichita Falls, president; Mrs. D. H. Buchanan of Temple, first vice president; Mrs. E. S. Carter of Wichita Falls, horticulture chairman; Mrs. High Astin of Stamford, scrap book chairman; Mrs. R. B. Murrie of Albany, scrap book chairman.

District officers present were Mrs. Laura Daniel of Wichita Falls, Mrs. O. T. Anderson and Mrs. E. W. Hunt of Olney, Mrs. W. H. Cauble of Snyder and Mrs. W. H. Bradfield of Garland.

A morning coffee at the assembly point in Albany was in the home of Mrs. Harry T. Key. Trip to the "glorified cook shack" in Reynolds Bend was arranged by the Albany Garden Club. Tour was taken of both houses, built of native stone and lumber hauled by ox and wagon train from Eagle Ford.

Attending the gathering from Hamlin were Mmes. Carl Murrell, A. A. Hackley, Harold Bonner, Ed Bailey, Paul Fowler, Roy Carmichael, Dick Maberry and Carl Young.

Methodist Women In Tuesday Program

Members of Circle No. 1 of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. H. McBride.

Mrs. Wayland Fuqua brought an interesting program, assisted by Mrs. L. M. Hardy, Mrs. Dean Witt and Mrs. Willard Maberry, who sang "He Arose."

Those attending were Mmes. Willard Maberry, S. C. Ferguson Jr., L. M. Hardy, Wayland Fuqua, E. J. Hawkins, Jack Riley, Gerald Young, C. D. Leonard, John D. Ferguson, Dean Witt, Gean Witt, W. T. Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. McBride.

Mrs. L. V. Cothren is on an extended visit with her children—two daughters at Kermit, one daughter a Tucson, Arizona, and a son at Williams, Arizona, and their families.

When turned loose to feed at will, a horse will eat himself to death, while a mule will eat only his fill.

Brenda Gould Honored On Twelfth Birthday With Party Thursday

To celebrate her twelfth birthday, Dr. and Mrs. Don Gould entertained for their daughter, Brenda, Thursday afternoon from 5:00 until 7:30 at their home at 32 North Central Avenue.

The afternoon was spent playing games, going on a scavenger hunt and viewing movies.

Refreshments of chicken sandwiches, angel food cake and ice cream were served. The guest list included: Giger and Ann Rabjohn, Gloria Rodgers, Libby Johnson, Judy Parker, Kay Shelburne, Wyvonne Conner, Jerry Carlton, Judy Teichmann, Marsha Carson, John Ritchie, Peggy and Dolores Killian, Jimmy and Glenda Hill, Dudley and Dwight Griggs, Barbara Connally, Paula Andrews, Chuck Bryson, Marion Carter.

Gene Murff, Gerald Don Renfro, Robert Joplin, Red Fowler, Marcus Fletcher, Stephen Carmichael, Wesley Acklin, Lance Carmichael, Betty Maberry, Jerry Crowley, Joann Halums, Bryan Shelburne, Marie Spaulding, Sandra Helms, Molly and Patricia Branscum, Charlotte McCollum and Judy Zimmerman of Stamford.

Delaware is the second smallest state in the Union.

Mrs. W. C. Moore is spending a month at Pensacola, Florida, with Lieutenant and Mrs. Lee R. Howard. Mrs. Howard is the former Wilma Lou Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin York Jr. and children, Richard Marvin and Elizabeth Ann, of Dallas visited Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. York, and with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shira and Charlie.

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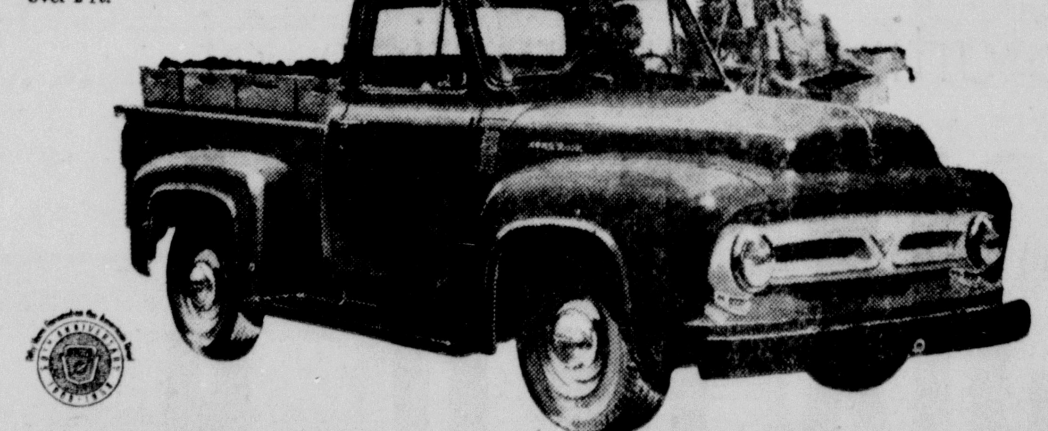
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John A. Hickey, Former Resident, Passes at Abilene

Funeral services for John A. Hickey, 72-year-old former resident of Hamlin, were conducted Tuesday morning at the Kiker-Warren Funeral chapel in Abilene. Dr. James L. Sullivan, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Abilene, officiated at the services.

Hickey was found dead in his room in an Abilene home Sunday morning about 11:00 o'clock. A verdict of death from natural causes was returned after an investigation. He had been ill for several days. A sister had just left Abilene Saturday after visiting with him. He had seemed improved when she left.

Hickey was a charter member of the First Baptist Church in Hamlin, which will be celebrating its forty-seventh anniversary Saturday.

Graveside rites were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Hamlin East Cemetery, where interment was made under direction of Kiker-Warren Funeral Home.

Survivors of the West Texas pioneer include two brothers, W. H. Hickey of Marion and Luther Hickey of El Centro, California; and two sisters, Mrs. W. H. Cosby of Lockhart and Mrs. Ella Hamilton of Chandler, Arizona.

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High School Choralier Group Postpones Snyder Appearances

Appearance of the Hamlin High School 20-voice Green-and-White Choraliers originally scheduled at Snyder Tuesday of this week, was postponed a week on account of the appearance this Tuesday of the 65-voice Hardin-Simmons University Choral Choir at Hamlin, which the local group wanted to see and hear.

The Choraliers, under direction of Walter P. Chalcraft, head of the music department at Hamlin High School, will sing at Snyder Tuesday morning, then present a program at the luncheon meeting of Snyder Lions Club at 12:30 at the Snyder Country Club. Jeanne Jones will present numbers on her accordion. Vera Mae Tidwell is accompanist for the Choraliers.

Colored Choral Group Will Present Program

Choral Club of the DePriest Colored School will be presented in its first public appearance Friday evening, April 3, at the Hamlin High School auditorium under the sponsorship of the Fifty-Two Study Club.

The 15-voice group, under direction of Mrs. G. L. Tyiska, will be featured in popular, classical, religious and spiritual numbers.

No admission will be charged for the program. Fifty-Two Club officials state, but a free-will offering will be taken during the evening to be applied toward purchasing robes for the choral group members, a project being sponsored by the women's club.

It takes from 50 to 100 years to produce a tree large enough for lumber.



TWINS WITH GOAT QUALS—Something rare in the goat world is birth of quadruplets, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McNaney near Amarillo. The mother, a white Nubian, gave birth to two males and two females, held by Amarillo twins Glenda and Linda Vaughan, six.

Hamlin Memorial Hospital Notes

The following patients have been admitted to Hamlin Memorial Hospital since the last report in The Herald. No report was available for last week: C. M. McCain, medical, March 6; Mrs. B. H. Bunkley, medical, March 10; Mrs. Wayne Yarborough, medical, March 10; L. B. Meeks, surgery, March 10; Bobby Ludecke, medical, March 11; Ralph Windsor, medical, March 11; W. H. Marquez, medical, March 11; B. J. Perrin, medical, March 12; Mrs. Lewis, medical, March 12; Shelia Levens, medical, March 12; Mrs. J. R. Reed, medical, March 12; Mrs. J. E. Carlton, ob., March 12; Mrs. M. E. Basket, medical, March 12; Judy Mash, medical, March 13; L. A. Hill, medical, March 12; Mrs. Gene Mize, medical, March 13; Mrs. J. R. Beard, medical, March 14; Mrs. Jimmy Dugan, medical, March 14; Mrs. C. L. McDowell, ob., March 14; Dixie Daniels, medical, March 15; Mrs. George White, medical, March 15; Mrs. Fred Wheeler, medical, March 15; D. M. White, medical, March 16; Mrs. George Campbell, medical, March 16; Mrs. B. Hassen, medical, March 16; Rusty White, medical, March 12; Mrs. A. W. Pursley, medical, March 16; Mrs. Otis Hallmark Jr., ob. March 16; Mrs. Milton Jones, medical, March 17; B. H. Bunkley, medical, March 17; Billy Hallmark, medical, March 18; Mrs. E. M. Wallace, medical, March 18; I. D. Miller, medical, March 19; Mrs. Bill Dominey, medical, March 19; J. L. Mash, medical, March 19; Mrs. H. H. Slater, ob., March 19; Boots Cranford, medical, March 19; Robbin Sanderlin, medical, March 20; Rhania Sanderlin, medical, March 20;

T. W. Cory, medical, March 21; Raymond Perkins, medical, March 21; Mrs. Ted Smith, medical, March 21; Mrs. B. A. Ivey, medical, March 22; Gale Carr, medical, March 22; Fred Weeks, medical, March 22; Billy Wayne Reed, medical, March 21; Nola Davis, medical, March 22; Mrs. Troy Rogers, ob., March 22; C. R. Howe, medical, March 22; Mrs. J. A. Pouncey, medical, March 23. Patients Dismissed—Mrs. O. H. Helms, March 10; Gloria Hulse, March 11; T. W. Cory, March 13; V. F. Baldree, March 12; Mrs. Jim H. King, March 11; Mrs. D. A. Self, March 9; Mrs. James Keisling, March 10; Rev. Miles B. Hays, March 10; Mrs. J. A. Williams, March 12; B. J. Meason, March 15; Dixie Daniels, March 11; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, March 11; Mrs. Jack Griffith, March 12; Mrs. Wayne Yarborough, March 13; Mrs. C. R. Wilborn, March 13; Mrs. B. H. Bunkley, March 12; Bobby Ludecke, March 15; Mrs. D. G. Lewis, March 14; Mrs. Gene Mize, March 15; Ralph Windsor, March 18; W. H. Marquez, March 17; B. J. Perrin, March 20; Shelia Levens, March 19; Mrs. J. R. Beard, March 21; Mrs. J. E. Carlton, March 17; L. A. Hill, March 21; L. B. Meeks, March 20; Mrs. Jimmy Dugan, March 17; Mrs. C. L. McDowell, March 17; Dixie Daniels, March 20; Mrs. George White, March 20; Mrs. Fred Wheeler, March 18; D. M. White, March 22; Mrs. George Campbell, March 21; Mrs. Otis Hallmark Jr., March 19; Mrs. Milton Jones, March 20; B. H. Bunkley, March 21; Billy Hallmark, March 21; Mrs. Bill Dominey, March 22; Rhania Sanderlin, March 22.

Hamlin Tracksters Place Seventh in Relays at Brady

Track and field boys from Hamlin High School are improving in their showings at sectional invitation meets. Last week-end they placed seventh in the Brady Relays.

Abilene High School Eagles repeated their performance of the week before at Snyder and took high honors in the Brady gathering by running up a total of 153½ points. Hamlin was in a three-way tie for eighteenth place in the Snyder meet.

Brownwood High School placed second with 127½. Other teams placing in the Saturday meeting were: Colorado City, third with 81½ points; Phillips, fourth with 59½; Junction, fifth with 53; Brady, sixth with 45; Hamlin, seventh with 21 points; Winters, eighth with 13; and Baird, ninth with four points.

Don Maynard of Colorado City was selected as the outstanding performer in the meet. He set new records in the hurdles events, placed second in the high jump and broad jump, and also was a member of the relay teams.

Hamlin's relay team composed of James Burkhart, Kenneth Kelly, Jimmy Ray and Joe Don Hymer took fourth place in the 440-yard relay.

Hamlin's entry of Burkhart, Kelly, Hymer and Glenn Smith rated third in the two-mile relay and fourth in the mile relay. The quartet also took sixth in the 880-yard relay and fourth in the sprint medley relay.

Clark Hewitt of Hamlin placed fifth in the shot put.

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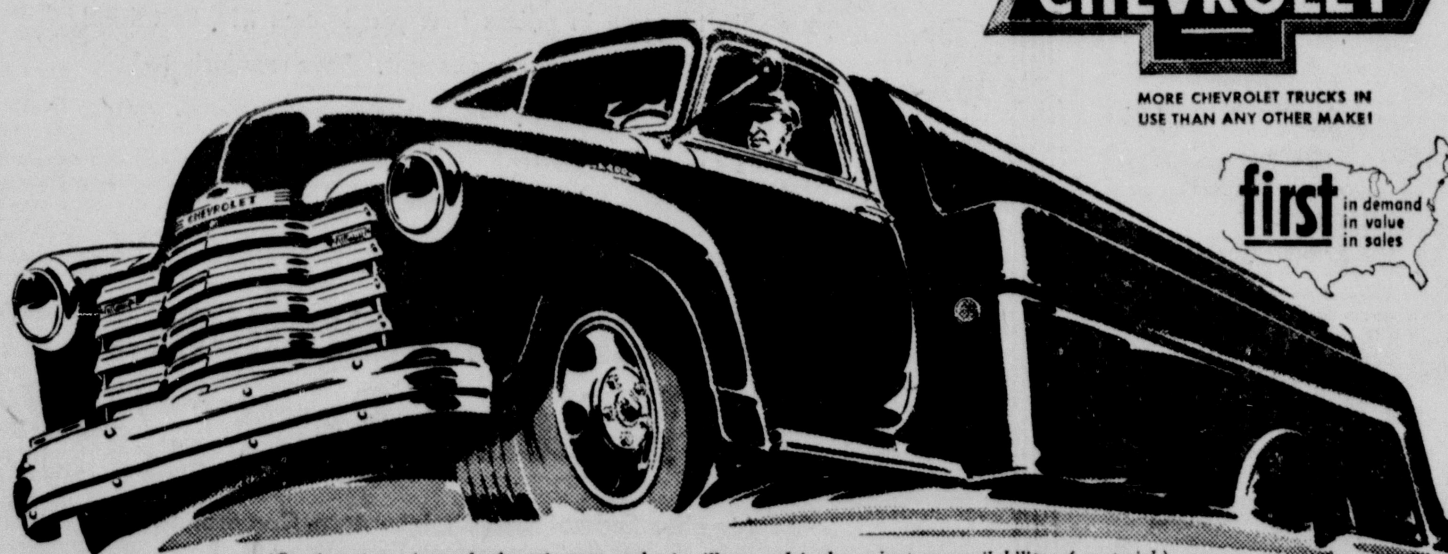
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New Grid Rules to Develop All-Round Athlete Says Moore

The new football rules that put the bee on the two-platoon system of grid playing in colleges of the country are more and more being approved by the coaches of major colleges and universities, declared Head Coach Wilford Moore of McMurry College, Abilene, when he spoke at the Tuesday noon luncheon gathering of Hamlin Lions Club at the oil mill guest house.

"Under the former rules so many of the big schools developed two separate teams—one for offense and one for defense," said Coach Moore, "and unlimited substituting permitted specialists to be trained for such work as punting, goal kicking, etc."

Moore went on to explain that the purpose of football is to show which team has the best 11-man group. The rule change, he said, will raise the caliber of talents of boys to become all-around players. "We will see more varied offensive plays under the new rulings, too," Moore declared.

McMurry College has splendid prospects for a good team next football season, Moore said. He closed his appearance on the program with the showing of a game in colors played at Las Cruces, New Mexico, between McMurry and New Mexico A. & M., which the Indians won by a 28 to 14 score.

Ballots for electing new officers and directors for the Lions Club year beginning July 1 were distributed to members. Results of the election are to be announced next Tuesday. A nominating committee composed of A. Spencer, Haskell Carter and D. D. Shelburne, recommended open voting from the entire membership.

Walter Chalcraft announced he would direct another Lions Club benefit show, urging Lions to submit suggested numbers for the program to be staged this spring. Guests at the Tuesday luncheon included Walter Mallow of Dallas, Tom Lowry of Stamford and Joe Breed of Anson.

HAMLIN V.F.W. POST NO. 6014

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TEXAS RANGER SIGNS UP DAUGHTER—Ranger Ernest Daniel believes teen-agers should be safety conscious, and so is signing up his pretty daughter, Wanda Glee Daniel, 19, in a safe-driving club. Texas Civitan Clubs and the Department of Public Safety urge all young drivers to enroll. The basis of the nation-wide campaign is a voluntary agreement between fathers and their sons and daughters. In exchange for use of the family car, each teen-ager signs a pledge to abide by eight safe driving rules.

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W. L. Hunter Sr. Dies Wednesday at Hamlin Residence

Walter L. Hunter Sr., 65-year-old retired farmer and long-time resident of Hamlin, was found dead at 6:00 a. m. last Wednesday at his home here. He was found by his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Lee, who, with her husband, had spent the night in her parents' home.

Mr. Hunter had moved from his farm, three miles south of Hamlin, about four years ago, after ill health forced his retirement. He had been sick for the past four months, but his death came unexpectedly to his family and friends.

He was born at Paris January 6, 1888, and moved to Roby with his parents when a small child. He moved to the Hamlin area about 1900. He was married to the former Lou Hayes on May 7, 1907.

Funeral services were conducted last Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church, of which he was a member. The pastor, Rev. Miles B. Hays, officiated, assisted by Rev. Danny Williams and Rev. S. Duane Bruce.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery, with Barrow Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Ernest Lee and Mrs. Burnia Reid Jr., both of Hamlin, and Mrs. T. L. Thomas of Lubbock; one son, W. L. Hunter Jr. of Hamlin; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Roy Wood and Mrs. Daisy Timmons; and one brother, John Hunter, of Fort Worth.

Mr. Hunter was preceded in death by one daughter, Mrs. I. T. Embrey Jr.

Pallbearers were Robert Johnson, J. C. Lain, Horace Brown, Lewis Madden, Bill Smith, Curt Pendley, C. L. Howard and Roy Dillard. Honorary pallbearers were members of his Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church.

Bob Herd, Formerly of Hamlin, Succumbs in Hospital at Snyder

Bob Herd, 69-year-old former resident of Hamlin, was buried in the McCaulley Cemetery last Thursday afternoon.

Herd died at 4:30 a. m. Thursday morning in a Snyder hospital after an illness of several months. Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at the Bell Funeral Home chapel in Snyder. Rev. E. K. Shepherd, pastor of the Snyder First Baptist Church, officiated.

Surviving Mr. Herd are three daughters, Mrs. Elmer E. Spears and Lilly May Herd of Snyder, and Mrs. Wilburn Hardin of Stamford; and six grandchildren.



COTTON TESTER—Research Scientist Joel F. Hembree (above) will direct a University of Texas program to standardize instruments testing of cotton properties in more than 100 laboratories throughout the world. The project—financed without cost to taxpayers—should improve markets for both the cotton farmer and buyer.

Baptist Junior Girls' Auxiliary Has Bible And Mission Study

Regular mission program and Bible study was conducted Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock when members of the Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met at the church.

Kay Shelburne, president, called the meeting to order, and Sandra Helms led the opening prayer. Roll was called by Brenda Fincannon, secretary, and the minutes were read.

Rebecca Ferguson, treasurer, reported the offering for home missions. Carol Joe Simpson, program chairman, led the group in a mission study on Antioch, from the mission study magazine, "World Comrades." Bible drill was led by Geneva Brinegar, Bible drill chairman.

Those present were Kay Shelburne, Cynthia Patterson, Geneva Brinegar, Rebecca Ferguson, Beth Cochran, Carol Joe Simpson, Leona Brinegar, Brenda Fincannon, Sandra Helms, Brenda Hargrove, Ann Rabjohn, Delores Killion, Libby Johnson, Peggy Killion, Ginger Rabjohn, Lillie Sue Austin, Nancy Carter, Ann Davis, Martha Ann Gage, Madeline Wharton, Sue Flenniken, Gloria Rodgers, Velta Hastings, Patricia Branscum, Gwendolyn Jenkins, Clara Welch, Rita Maynard, Jane Underwood, Joan Hallum and Elaine Riley; and Mrs. J. A. Simpson, counselor.

W. D. Green Dies At Age of 72 Years In Rotan Hospital

W. D. Green, 72-year-old farmer who formerly lived in the Boyd Chapel community south of Hamlin, died last Wednesday night in the Callan Hospital at Rotan after a serious illness of about two weeks. He recently had made his home at Stanton.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Hamlin First Methodist Church. Rev. Roy Patterson of Roby and Rev. S. Duane Bruce, local pastor, officiated at the final rites.

Interment was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

Surviving the old-timer are his wife of Stanton; five daughters, Mrs. J. T. Houghton of Roby, Mrs. C. L. Collinger, Mrs. Elsie Cook and Mrs. William Brayton, all of Fort Worth, and Mrs. George Hanks of Hobbs, New Mexico; four sons, Cecil Green of San Diego, California, Otis Green of Lamesa, Jasper Green of Houston and Marvin Green of Midland; 17 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Tom Jones of Hamlin, Mrs. D. L. Kent of San Angelo and Mrs. George Barnhart of Palacios; and four brothers, M. F. and John F. Green of Hamlin, J. D. Green of Sweetwater and Fletcher Green of Rosenberg.

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Increase Approved Outside City Limits For Gas Concern

Railroad Commission of Texas has approved Lone Star Gas Company's application to increase residential and commercial rates for natural gas service outside the corporate limits of Hamlin and in unincorporated towns and communities in the vicinity, according to an announcement by M. L. Bird of Dallas, operating manager for Lone Star's general division of distribution.

Affected principally by the new ruling will be the Celotex Corporation, five miles southwest of Hamlin.

The railroad commission order authorizing the rate adjustment calls for an increase of 13 cents per 1,000 cubic feet of gas, Bird said. He pointed out that Lone Star has been granted similar rate adjustments by City Councils in Hamlin and in more than 240 other incorporated cities and towns in Texas since last September.

Bird stated that residential and commercial rates charged by Lone Star had not been increased generally within the last 25 years, but, conversely, were reduced 10 cents per 1,000 cubic feet in May, 1942. He said the new rate for the unincorporated areas is only three cents per 1,000 cubic feet higher than the rate charged by Lone Star prior to the 1942 reduction.

The Lone Star operating manager expressed appreciation to the railroad commission for "consideration of the gas company application," pointing out that the "new rate makes it possible for us to continue to maintain our high standard of service on the plane desired and expected by our customers."

The railroad commission has original jurisdiction of natural gas rates in unincorporated towns and areas in Texas.

Senior To Talk at P-TA Meet April 9

"It's Good to Be in America" will be the theme of a discussion by a Hamlin High School senior when the regular meeting of the Hamlin Parent-Teacher Association is held on April 9, according to Mrs. E. J. Hawkins, president. The meeting is being postponed from the announced time on April 2 to April 9 because of a conflicting community program, Mrs. Hawkins, announces.

An entertainment program will be provided for the gathering of the second grade students in Hamlin Primary School.

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BOY SCOUTS

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by Panther Patrol, Troop 42 of Stamford by Flying Eagle Patrol, Troop 36 of Haskell by Cougar Patrol, Troop 51 of O'Brien by Cabro Patrol, and Troop 48 of Paint Creek by Longhorn Patrol, second; Troop 43 of Hamlin by Apache Patrol and Troop 42 of Stamford by Panther Patrol, third.

Hobble Race—Troop 36 of Haskell by Cougar Patrol, first; Troop 43 of Hamlin by Panther Patrol, second; Troop 48 of Paint Creek by Longhorn Patrol, third.

Baseball Throw—Troop 36 of Haskell by Rattlesnake Patrol, first; Troop 43 of Hamlin by Panther Patrol, second; Troop 48 of Paint Creek by Comanche Patrol, third.

Chariot Race—Troop 22 of Anson by Cherokee Patrol, first; Troop 36 of Haskell by Rattlesnake Patrol and Cougar Patrol, second and third.

Use of Compass—Troop 43 of Hamlin by Apache Patrol, first; Troop 42 of Stamford by Flying Eagle Patrol, second; Troop 42 of Stamford by Panther Patrol, third.

Skill Judging—Troop 36 of Haskell by Cougar Patrol and Troop 41 of Stamford by Eagle Patrol, first; Troop 42 of Stamford by Panther Patrol and Troop 41 of Stamford by Buffalo Patrol, second; Troop 43 of Hamlin by Panther Patrol, third.

Flint and Steel Fire Building—Troop 36 by Haskell by Rattlesnake Patrol, first; Troop 43 of Hamlin by Panther Patrol; Troop 48 of Paint Creek by Comanche Patrol, third.

Egg Relay—Troop 43 of Hamlin by Apache Patrol, first; Troop 41 of Stamford by Eagle Patrol, second.

Some folks think they're bearing their cross when they're only putting up with themselves.

PIPELINE

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Stamford is progressing nicely About five miles of the line had been put into the ground by Wednesday of this week. Farrow Construction Company of Dallas holds the contract for the lake-to-Stamford line, which should be completed within the next two weeks, according to word from Stamford city officials.

Some water has been caught in the recently completed Paint Creek project during recent showers, although not enough to permit use of the water for Stamford and Hamlin. Hamlin has a contract with Stamford for purchase of raw water at the North Stamford city limits to be diverted into the 12-inch line to this metropolis.

As Hamlin residents realize, the city has been shipping in water from Rochester and Rule since last June when the long drought resulted in a shortage at the city's South Lake.

Carlton Hardware Buys Stock of Wilson Hardware Concern

Announcement was made this week by Weldon Carlton, owner of Carlton Hardware, that stocks of the Wilson Hardware Company had been purchased by his firm. The stocks were moved to the Carlton building first of the week. The combined stocks will make one of the finest stocks of hardware supplies in this area, declared Carlton.

Wilson Hardware was closed recently following the death of M. C. Wilson, one of the owners of the firm that was established in 1911.

Combining of the two stores links two of the town's oldest businesses. The Carlton concern was established originally as the Riter Hardware in 1906, the year the town of Hamlin was established. John Ed Day purchased the Riter store in 1914. Eddie Jay bought the place in 1946, and Carlton took it over three years ago.

Rev. Cluck to Preach In Sylvester Revival

Rev. Charlie Cluck will do the preaching in the spring revival meeting at the First Baptist Church in Sylvester, beginning Sunday, March 29, and continuing through Sunday, April 5, it was announced this week by Rev. John Cundieff, pastor of the congregation.

Musical program during the revival will be under the leadership of local leaders.

Rev. Cluck is an outstanding evangelist of the Baptist denomination, says Rev. Cundieff, who invites the general public to attend the services.

Services will be held each evening at 8:00 o'clock.

PENNY WISE.

A dollar and a penny met. The penny had a bright, clean face; the dollar was dirty but proud. "You think you are gold, but you are only cheap metal," said the dollar.

The penny replied, "I am what I am and claim to be no more."

The dollar swelled up with pride and said, "I am patriotic; I am trustworthy; I have the emblem of liberty on my bosom, and the United States government has placed these words on me, 'In God We Trust.'"

After a little doubt, the penny answered, "I grant you all of that, but I go to church oftener than you do."

Lemon trees have been cultivated in India for over 2,500 years.

McCAULLEY COMMUNITY NEWS

By RUBY PERRYMAN

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Lawlis and Mrs. Joe Gilley visited Private Joe Gilley at Camp Carson, Colorado, last week-end. They saw the Garden of the Gods and Seven Falls. Private Joe Gilley has just completed his basic Army training.

Palma Lawlis spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beavers at Lubbock.

Members of the junior class of McCauley High School will present their annual spring play this (Friday) evening in the school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock. The play will be in the form of a negro minstrel. If you look close enough you might recognize the negro characters as home town kids. Admission will be 25, 35 and 50 cents. Money raised by the play will be used to help finance the junior-senior trip.

Wayne Holcomb of Thornton, California, is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Holcomb.

John Ed Faught was bitten last week-end on a thumb by a coon which he had just caught. He was taken to the hospital in Rotan, where 11 stitches were taken to close the wound.

Sarah Kean visited Saturday at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Perryman and Billy Jack spent the week-end at Tahoka with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. White and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fenton.

Sunday visitors in the home of the Bill Keans were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graham of Abilene and Dave Kennedy of Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Joplin were Sunday visitors for church at the McCauley Baptist Church.

Jackie Miles, husband of Wilma Holcomb, has been here on a 10-day leave. He returned first of the week to his Army base in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cook spent Sunday visiting at Sweetwater. Gayle Reed of Sylvester was a week-end guest of her grandparents.

Aletta Cook spent Saturday night and Sunday with Lavern Higon at Hamlin.

McCauley's quota for the Red Cross campaign now underway is \$125. Let's give generously. Donations may be left at the post office or one of the local stores.

Negro Baptists Thank Friend for Help and Plan Sunday Dinner

"We are unable to express our sincere appreciation for the past cooperation of our many friends, both white and colored, who have helped us so much in the recent labors to build our new house of worship in Hamlin," declared Rev. J. L. Johnson, pastor of the Oak Grove Colored Baptist Church, as the building neared completion. He acknowledged a donation of \$10 Sunday from the Tom Holman, and said many others had made contributions over a period of weeks.

Women of the church will serve Sunday dinner again Sunday at the DePriest Colored School beginning at 12:15 p. m. Menu for the dinner, which will sell for \$1 per plate, will consist of: Beef roast, fresh black-eyed peas, vegetable salad, creamed potatoes, hot rolls or cornbread muffins, cake or pie, coffee or iced tea.

Office Supplies at the Herald

Rotan Pastor Talks at Baptist Brotherhood

"God Calls for Men" was the topic of the address by Dr. Lawrence Hayes, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Rotan, when he spoke Tuesday evening at the monthly meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church. About 60 men attended.

Dr. Hayes' talk came after a covered dish dinner was served in the basement of the church. Report on the near completion of the new Oak Grove Colored Baptist Church, being erected under sponsorship of the Brotherhood, was given by W. L. Boyd, who has been overseer of the work.



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Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

By Verne Sanford, Manager, Texas Press Association.

Austin.—Let's talk about money—about spending a hundred and sixty-odd million dollars of your money.

That's what the Legislature is doing. But even considering the size of that amount, the economy forces seem to be in control.

The proposed spending budget for the next two years is within tax revenue that the state can expect to receive. That means, if appropriations bills as they now stand are finally passed, no new taxes will be needed.

More liberal-minded legislators have advocated a number of new expenditures. In the House last week, for example, representatives said "no" to a proposal that would have given \$2,600,000 more to the University of Texas at Austin.

Lawmakers eyed keenly a reduction in the oil production allowable, ruled by the Texas Railroad Commission.

Comptroller R. S. Calvert had expected the cut and figured it into his estimate of state income for the next two years. But if there should be further drops in oil production, state tax revenue would fall below present anticipations.

The biggest part of the state's revenue is from a tax of about 11 cents per barrel on oil.

Calvert has been told by experts, however, that the demand for Texas oil may increase next summer. Allowables are fixed on the basis of demand and other factors.

Right now, imports of foreign oil are cutting into the demand for Texas crude.

With the conservatives scoring victories in both House and Sen-

ate, the future looked doubtful for increasing pay of teachers and state employees and for improving the state's highways.

Representative Charles Murphy of Houston advocates a constitutional amendment that would devote all future increases in the gasoline tax to roads.

That would help the road situation, if a gasoline tax increase were passed; but it would not give any more money to schools.

Governor Allan Shivers voiced his disapproval of any new state taxes except a one-cent increase in the gasoline tax, to pay for more roads. The governor also said he hoped for court approval of the present natural gas tax which would bring in \$40,000,000 to \$45,000,000. He added that if the gas tax is found constitutional he may call a special session to appropriate the money for state improvements and services.

One proposed solution to the highway problem is to authorize construction of toll roads. But there is difference of opinion in both House and Senate as to how the toll road authority should be set up.

The first bill to be introduced was one that would permit the installation of a Dallas-Fort Worth toll road. Later there were other bills in both House and Senate, these making the toll road authority state-wide.

The House bill, for example, provides that the three highway commissioners would head the state toll road agency.

Sponsors of this bill say it would make possible the construction of needed roads immediately; that the roads would be built by private industry; and that they would save tax money.

Supporters of this measure also argue that a central state agency would be preferable to a number

of local, uncoordinated toll road authorities.

Texas Highway Department, meanwhile, was about a million dollars better off than it expected to be.

The department let contracts for improvements on 446 miles of state roads. The total bids amounted to about \$9,500,000. The department had figured that the cost would be more like \$10,500,000.

Senators gave their support to Pioneer Airlines in that carrier's controversy with the Civil Aeronautics Board.

The board had denied Pioneer larger mail subsidies, claimed to be necessary after putting larger aircraft into operation at the board's suggestion.

By a resolution passed unanimously, the Senate called the CAB's action ill-considered, capricious and arbitrary.

By all tests so far, the Legislature has approved giving the right of jury service to women.

A resolution calling for the necessary constitutional amendment passed the House of Representatives by a vote of 124 to 16. A Senate committee also put its o. k. on women jury service.

If the resolution is finally passed, the voters will have their chance to approve or disapprove the proposition at the general election in November next year.

Forty-two states now permit women to serve on juries.

The Senate passed, 26 to 2, and sent to the House a bill providing that persons convicted of drunken driving would automatically go to jail for three days and pay a \$50 fine.

Senator Carlos Ashley, author of the bill, said it would aid law enforcement and traffic safety if people who drive while drunk know they will have to spend some time in jail.

The bill would not change the maximum penalties of two years in jail and \$500 fine.

Radio and television stations do not want to be sued for any libelous statements made by persons who buy time on the stations.

In the House is a bill by Representative J. R. Paxton of Elkhart that would give the desired protection, requested by the Texas Association of Broadcasters.

Witnesses told the judiciary committee, which voted the bill out, that stations actually have no control over what a political candidate says in a broadcast or telecast, though he may be asked for an advance script.

Short Shorts: The Supreme Court will hear arguments next month on the validity of the driv-



BIRDS OF A FEATHER—No, Mitz, the kitten, and Webster, the duck, are not birds of a feather, but they flock together just the same. Owned by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pierce of Denton, the pets eat, play and sleep together and have been constant companions since Webster was brought home from the State Fair in Dallas last fall.

H-SU Chapel Choir Gives Concert Here

A 20-minute program of popular, classical and religious numbers was enjoyed by members of student body and faculty of Hamlin High School, as well as a number of visitors Tuesday morning in assembly at the high school when the 65-voice Chapel Choir of Hardin-Simmons University appeared in the first of a series of programs over the West Texas area.

H-SU Choir, under the direction of the chairman of the school's voice department, Euell Porter, was presenting concerts at Hamlin, Aspermont, Spur, Dickens, Matador, Floydada, Tahoka and Snyder during a three-day swing through West Central Texas.

The San Antonio Court of Civil Appeals has ruled in favor of the Texas Department of Public Safety in upholding the act. . . . A Senate committee voted to prohibit further expansion of Texas junior colleges, but Senator Brady Hazlewood of Amarillo gave notice that he would bring the proposition out on a minority report. . . . The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports that Texas now produces more gas, consumes more within its own borders, exports more to other states, and has more underground than any other state.

Huchingson Asks For Cooperation in Scholastic Census

Appeal again is being made by Superintendent I. R. Huchingson of Hamlin Schools for citizens of the school district to cooperate in seeing that all scholastics are reported in the current census being made through the superintendent's office. The census deadline is April 1, Huchingson says.

Per capita apportionment of state money to schools is based on the figures of the scholastic census, Huchingson points out in urging the importance of enumerating every available scholastic residing in the district. Children already enrolled in the schools are counted automatically, but newcomers and children just coming of school age particularly need to be counted in the census, the superintendent stressed.

Children who will be six years of age before next September 1 are to be enumerated in the new tabulations, especially those who have no brothers or sisters now attending the Hamlin schools.

Last year's scholastic census accounted for 1,260 scholastics in the Hamlin district, and Superintendent Huchingson said about that same number should be accounted for in this year's enumeration.

Rotary Club Hits New Attendance Mark for February

Hamlin Rotary Club reached a new high mark in attendance for the month of February with a percentage of 97.86, it was announced Wednesday at the noon luncheon meeting of the group by President Wesley Nail. The mark put the club in fifth place in the standings of clubs in District 187 of Rotary International.

John K. Huckaby of Rotan, who recently was awarded a \$2,400 Rotary education fellowship as a result of the sponsorship by the Hamlin Rotary Club, attended the luncheon and expressed appreciation to the club for its work in his behalf. He announced he would attend the University of Strasbourg in France on the fellowship, one of about 100 awarded each year by Rotary International.

"It's a Fact" was the title of a colored film shown as a courtesy of the Quick-Way Shovel Company, represented in Hamlin by the Jay-Hinds Equipment Company. The film showed uses of the big machines in dirt, sand and gravel work, using the scoop-bucket, dragline, clamshell, trench-hole and pile-driver.

Officers for the new year were announced. A separate story on the officers is found on page one of today's Herald.

Besides Young Huckaby, other guests at the Wednesday luncheon meeting included H. L. Griffin, Marshall Moore, Harold Brown and Louis Wylie of Abilene; A. Rucker of Kansas City; Judge Cummings, Virgil Richburg, Fred Wimberly and George Beard of Sweetwater.

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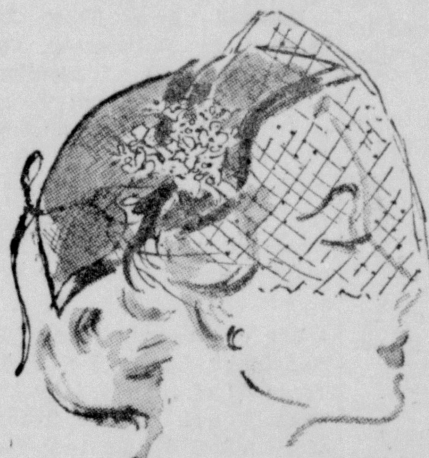


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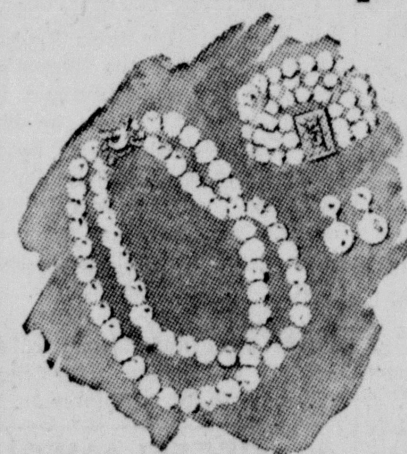
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